

## **SUMMARY OF SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING**

**DATE:** January 20, 2003  
**TO:** Ross Dunfee, Steering Committee Chairman  
Bill Moore, Department of Ecology  
**COPY:** Steering Committee Members and Consultant Team  
**FROM:** John Kosco, Tetra Tech & Dave Moss, Tt/KCM  
**SUBJECT:** **Summary of NPDES Phase II Subcommittee Meeting**  
**Moses Lake Conference Center**  
**January 16, 2003 9:00 am - 12:00 pm**  
**PROJECT:** EASTERN WASHINGTON STORMWATER MANAGEMENT  
Stormwater Management Technical Manual *and*  
Model Municipal NPDES Phase II Stormwater Program

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### **Subcommittee Meeting Attendees:**

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| Ross Dunfee – Benton County        | Steve Plummer – City of Kennewick |
| Lucy Peterschmidt – Spokane County | John Kosco – Tetra Tech           |
| Lloyd Brewer – City of Spokane     | Lars Hendron – City of Spokane    |
| Tom Tebb – Ecology                 | Lauren Driscoll – Ecology         |
| Bill Moore – Ecology               | Jim Seitz – AWC                   |
| Don McGahuey – City of Wenatchee   | John Knutson – Yakima County      |

### **PURPOSE OF MEETING:**

- ❖ This meeting was held to discuss the summary of public comments and draft responses on the Model Program.

### **AGENDA FOR THIS MEETING:**

1. Review and discuss January 9, 2003 Summary of Public Comments and Draft Responses on the Model Program.

### **BRIEF SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS:**

1. The subcommittee briefly met with the Manual subcommittee for introductions and status on the project. The model program subcommittee then reconvened to a separate room.
2. Gary Nelson, Spokane County asked to address the subcommittee on the issue of listing Spokane County in the “mandatory” list in Chapter 1 of the model program. Gary stated that Spokane County did not believe it was required to comply with Phase II because the County did not discharge stormwater to surface waters. The heading on the table was changed from “mandatory” to “Census urbanized areas” and language was inserted

into Chapter 1 explaining when an NPDES stormwater permit is required. See the attached summary of public comments and responses for the actual changes to Chapter 1 on this issue.

3. The subcommittee proceeded to discuss each of the public comments received and draft responses for each. Modifications were made to the responses with the subcommittee agreeing on each change. The public comment summary and subcommittee response for each issue is included as an attachment. The changes indicated in this summary will be made to the model program draft to produce a final document. The consultant team will produce a final document for Ecology by the end of January. After final review, this document will be posted and distributed for use by stakeholders.

This is the **last meeting** of the NPDES Subcommittee. Subcommittee members were invited to join the Manual subcommittee if they wished.